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We have just opened out a New Stock of Fine Goods, of the latest and most fashionable designs, and can guarantee satisfaction in all respects.

Our MR. CAMPBELL was for two years managing cutter at the establishment of Leask & Morrison, and is well known to Victorians for the excellence of his work. He recently returned from the east, where he made a personal selection of our stock. All those desiring the finest goods and perfect fitting garments are invited to call and inspect the same.

CALL AND SEE OUR STOCK.

Don't Forget the Number, 88 Government Street. mar3

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JUST OPENED.

Choice lines in MEN'S FINE HAND SEWN SHOES, Balmorals, Congress and Button Boots. Narrow Toes and Common Sense.

Elegant Goods for LADIES' FINE WEAR.

Novelties in LOW SHOES.---Immense Selection.

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LACROSSE AND BASEBALL SHOES FOR THE BOYS.

The WAVERLEY SCHOOL SHOES, strong and durable for Children's wear.

INSPECT the GOODS, see the PRICES and you are sure to buy at

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R. P. COOKE, President.

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AMUSEMENTS.

GRAND CONCERT

On behalf of the Building Fund of the new Church,

UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE YOUNG PEOPLE'S ASSOCIATION

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church,

PHILHARMONIC HALL,

Wednesday, March 27th, 1889.

ADMISSION, 50 CENTS.

Commence at 8 o'clock. mar21-1w

A Grand Pedestrian

TOURNAMENT

WILL TAKE PLACE IN

Yates street Rink

—ON—

MONDAY, TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY,

April 1st, 2nd and 3rd.

The race to be go-as-you-please and to start at 8 o'clock sharp.

Money prizes amounting to $250 will be offered in addition to cups and medals.

Entries to be made at Mr. Campbell's Cigar Store, corner of Yates and Government street.

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WANTS.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—Unfurnished house to rent; five or six rooms and barn. Address "X. Z.," COLONIST office. mr23-3t

WANTED—An Office Boy, about 15 to 16 years of age, must write a good hand and be quick at figures; apply by letter. Address, "A. Z.," P. O. Box No. 6. mar23-3t

WANTED—A Nurse maid. Apply to Mrs. Wm. Wilson, Birdcage Walk, James Bay. mar21-1m

WANTED —4— SMART WAITRESSES for Vancouver. Fare paid. Apply Mr. Edwards, Occidental Hotel, between 9 to 11 and 2 to 4. Wages from $25 to $35. mar20-3t

WANTED—Girls to do light work in varnish room. Apply to foreman COLONIST press room.

WANTED—by a young English Lady—an engagement as daily governess to two or three children under 12. Highest references. Address, L. H. J., Box 277, Victoria, B. C. mar16-2w

WANTED—A Nursemaid. Apply to Mrs. Hunter, 49 Birdcage Walk. mar13-tf

WANTED—Employment of any description, in office, store, or otherwise, by a young man. Fluent shorthand writer. Address W. H. at this office. mar13-6t

WANTED—A middle-aged woman to cook and assist in house work on a farm. Wages, $25 per month. Apply "A. B.," this office. mar10

WANTED—A Housemaid. Apply to Mrs. R. E. Jackson, 19 Richardson street, between 12 and 1 o'clock. mar6-2w

WANTED—A Dining-room girl. Apply at Saunders' Restaurant, No. 171 Government street. mar5-2w

FURNISHED HOUSE required, in Victoria District. Apply to "M. A." COLONIST office. mar23-3t

SHORTHAND AND TYPEWRITING taught. Apply to "Steno," THIS OFFICE. feb27-1mo

WANTED!

SMART ENERGETIC CANVASSERS.—Apply The Singer Manufacturing Comp'y. Office, 50 Government street, Victoria, B. C. mar8

PANT AND VEST MAKERS

WANTED IMMEDIATELY AT

Campbell & Simpkins, Fashionable Tailors, 88 Government street (Heathorn Building). mar13

MASONIC NOTICE.

DEDICATION OF HALL AT VANCOUVER by the M. W. Grand Lodge, March 29th. Brethren can obtain tickets at excursion rates on application to the Grand Secretary.

H. BROWN, Government street.

Members of Grand Lodge are requested to meet at Grand Secretary's office, Masonic Temple, on Monday 25th, at 7:30 p. m. H. BROWN.

IRISH HUNTING STALLION.—WANTED a farmer in the vicinity of Victoria to undertake the care and management of the imported Irish Hunting Stallion "Wexford." The animal is coming four years old, stands 16.3 hands high, and though gentle in disposition, and without vice, requires a good horseman to handle him. Address—"Irish Hunter," this office. mar19-1w

TENDERS.

FOR SALE.

TENDERS, ADDRESSED TO THE BOARD of Managers of St. Andrew's (Presbyterian) Church, Victoria, will be received for a limited time for the following desirable city properties, viz.: Church and Site, corner Gordon and Courtenay streets; Dwelling and Site, corner Douglas and Rae streets. feb20-tf

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE undersigned until Thursday noon, 28th inst., for the erection of a two-story Dwelling House, stone foundations, and Stable, at Nanaimo. Plans and specifications can be seen at his office. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

EDWD. MALLANDAINE, Architect.

Victoria, March 20th, 1889. mar21

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED—A married man accustomed to sheep and general farm work. EDWARD MUSGRAVE, Cowichan. mr24-d6t-w2t

PRESS BOY wanted at THE COLONIST Job Room. mar21

ROYAL HOSPITAL.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SUBscribers will be held on Thursday next, the 28th inst., at 3 p. m., at the City Hall, to receive the report of the Board of Directors for the past year and elect Directors for the present year.

J. STUART YATES, Hon. Sec.

Victoria, B. C., March 23, 1889. mar24

RESTAURANT.

The premises, 81 Johnson Street, Will be opened on the 31st day of March, 1889, by W. G. SUM, as a

FIRST-CLASS RESTAURANT.

The services of a really good cook have been secured, and meals will be served at all hours in a decent, cleanly and orderly manner and with every luxury the market will afford.

GOOD BEDS.

Dated at Victoria, the 22nd day of March, 1889.

mr24-tf W. G. SUM.

VICTORIA THEATRE.

Monday Evening, April 22, 1889.

GRAND CONCERT

In aid of the funds of the Royal Hospital.

The Victoria Choral Society will give a Concert on the evening of Easter Monday, when the popular Cantata,

THE ANCIENT MARINER

will be produced for the first time in this city.

Prices of Admission—Parquette, 75c.; Dress Circle, 50c.; Gallery, 25c. Reserved seats, 25c. extra. Plan of theatre at Messrs. Lombard & Co., Government st. Tickets may be obtained from any member of the Society.

mr24-1m D. W. MORROW, Secretary.

AUCTION SALE.

W. R. CLARKE, AUCTIONEER.

I am instructed to sell by Public Auction, at the Outer Wharf, on

TUESDAY, 26th, at 11 A. M.,

A Steam Winch, Boiler, Iron Tanks, Schooner Hatches, and a number of other articles.

W. R. CLARKE, Auctioneer.

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Fire-proof Hotel to Rent.

THE undersigned offers for rental, with 43 rooms newly furnished, the well-known and popular

FRENCH HOTEL,

Advantageously situated near the

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With billiard tables, bar fittings, and kitchen utensils complete, and capable of accommodating 100 guests.

And also, if desired, and in connection with it, the adjoining brick building known as the

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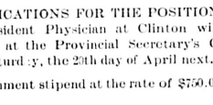

Resident Physician at Clinton.

APPLICATIONS FOR THE POSITION OF Resident Physician at Clinton will be received at the Provincial Secretary's Office up to Saturday, the 30th day of April next.

Government stipend at the rate of $750.00 per annum.

A. CAMPBELL REDDIE, Deputy Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office, 23rd March, 1889. mar24-1d

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

H. E. CROASDAILE,

Land and Financial Agent,

Has removed his Office to GALPIN'S BLOCK, Fort st., between Broad and Government sts.

P. O. Box 161. Telephone No. 179. mar1-1mo

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HAS JUST RECEIVED THE

Finest & Latest Styles of Woolens.

Fine Business Suits to order from.....$25 to $35
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All my prices are fully 25 per cent. less than elsewhere.

Please call and examine goods before purchasing elsewhere.

61 Johnson Street, Cor. Government. oc25

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Just Arrived!

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Of Men's, Youths' and Boys'

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Of the Latest Styles, at prices that cannot be beaten.

Don't fail to call and examine for yourselves before purchasing elsewhere.

89 Douglas St., Oddfellows' Block.

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25 Choice Lots within 10 minutes' walk of the Post Office, from $350.00 per lot upwards.

BOURCHIER & HIGGINS. mar22-1mo

CAPITAL NOTES.

Sir Adolphe Caron Fully Intends to Fulfil His Promises.

Col. Prior Makes a Good Case for Increased Pay for the Men of "C" Battery—Likely to be Tariff Changes Even Yet.

[From our Own Correspondent.]

OTTAWA, March 23.—Col Prior delivered an able speech late last night, criticising the conduct of Sir Adolphe Caron, relative to "C" barracks. He made a good case for extra pay for the men on account of the increased cost of living in British Columbia

Sir Adolphe Caron said Victorians thought he did not intend to carry out his promises. He fully intended to fulfil them, but it could not be expected to be done at once.

Mr. Chisholm remarked that there was some excuse for the minister not fulfilling his promises, as they were made simply at banquet, (laughter.) He asked if the government proposed to do anything toward the defence of Vancouver.

Sir Adolphe Caron said the matter was under consideration of the Imperial authorities.

Nearly all the members are out of the city.

There will be a holiday here on Monday.

Mr. McCarthy who will be the chief Conservative who will oppose the Govt. on the Jesuit matter, has prepared a big speech in favor of disallowance.

There are likely to be some tariff changes even yet.

The Government has decided to issue *modus vivendi* licences during the coming fishing season.

The railway subsidies will be considered at Monday's cabinet meeting. The Shuswap and Okanagan Railway is likely to get there.

AMERICAN NEWS.

Great Beer Syndicate.

ROCHESTER, March 23.—The sale of the Bartholomey, Rochester, and Genessee Brewing Co.'s plant to a great English syndicate was finally consummated at 6 p.m. to-day. The three companies will be consolidated under the name of "Bartholomey Brewing Co., Limited." The total amount of capital stock is to be £625,000 sterling, and there will be £100,000 in debenture bonds. The property transferred to the new company includes the three breweries named, together with all real and personal property owned by the brewers. The Parsons' malt house is included, at $100,000. The Bartholomey cottage hotel at Charlotte, and stock in several outside corporations, will be transferred among other property. For one week after the transfer, the stock and bonds of the new company, to the amount of $250,000, will be placed on sale in this city. It is stated at the office of the breweries that this will be done merely to accommodate people in this city who have been objecting to the transfer on the ground that they would have no opportunity to subscribe for the stock of new company. The brewery people say that if any of the stock should remain unsold here, it will be at once disposed of in England. The prices paid for the breweries were as follows: Bartholomey, $225,000, Genessee, $728,000; Rochester, $726,000. A check for $75,000 was this a to noon handed to the Bartholomey people as a first payment, and the Genessee and Rochester officers received a check for five per cent. of two-thirds the purchase price of their respective breweries, amounting in each case to $240,000. The whole amount of the purchase price is to be paid in four months.

Tale of a Trunk.

BUFFALO, N. Y., March 23.—At the American Express Company's sale of unclaimed property, Tuesday, a toy trunk sold for fifty cents. On opening it the purchaser discovered a large number of letters, and among them notes aggregating $800 in value. Two of the notes were outlawed just three days, one for a small amount and the other for $323. The others are pronounced good, and amount to something over $400. The trunk was addressed to "Mrs. C. Merrilla, Corning hotel, opposite the depot." The letters reveal a romance. They were signed, Mrs. C. W. McAllister, and that is the name that should, no doubt, be on the trunk, and is the reason why it found its way into the dusty limbo of the express company's collection. Mrs. McAllister, whose maiden name was Miss Ida Willey, married McAllister at Reading, Pa. He ran a collection business there, got crowded, collected money for people, and didn't pay it over, and finally skipped away suddenly, leaving his wife and creditors. The collection contained many letters from McAllister, in his absence, and all breathed the greatest love for her. Her letters to him, of which she preserved duplicates, bespeak the wife's faith in her love to her husband through all his troubles. She was always wishing to be with him. McAllister, in his letters, constantly speaks of eluding the detectives. Finally, a letter told Mrs. McAllister to join her husband in Harrisburg, where his father lived, and where a home was offered them. Whether they came together, the letters do not indicate, and are the links missing in the chain. Mrs. McAllister had an uncle in Corning, and it is supposed she went there, and the trunk was sent there, evidently addressed by a stranger who blundered in the address. The possessor of the letters, John A. Ward, 191 Main street, will return them to Mrs. McAllister if she is alive and claims them. The notes belong to him, as the express company can legally give a clear title to goods sold in this way.

A Tramp Killed.

BUFFALO, March 23.—The box car of the Rochester and Pittsburg freight train jumped the track at Titusville, near this city, this morning. It was occupied by five tramps. One was killed and another fatally injured.

The Great Wabash Case.

CHICAGO, March 23.—The great Wabash case came to an end at one o'clock today in the United States Circuit Court, by the entry of a decree offering the great railway plant for sale in this city. Judge Gresham said: "We think, inasmuch as the Wabash property is in the custody of the court, and the parties all before court, that the court has authority to prescribe an upset bid in the decree of sale. We, therefore, determined to enter a decree of that kind, making the bid for the four main lines the amount of the principal and interest of indebtedness. It was decided that the sale should be four weeks from to-day. If in ten days the mortgagors do not appear in court and pay the amount of debt on any division in fault, it can be sold. A deposit of $100,000 will be sufficient to secure a bid.

The Weavers' Strike.

FALL RIVER, Mass., March 23.—The situation of the big strike remains unchanged. The manufacturers expect a break on Monday, but the weavers' executive committee are of the opposite opinion.

For Selling Cider.

WATERLOO, Ia. March 23.—Charles W. Schmidt, of Cedar Falls, was fined $300 in the justice court to-day for selling cider. He was arraigned on six different counts.

Murdered By Carelessness.

PERU, Ind., March 23.—An explosion of dynamite this afternoon in the residence of Aaron York, a prominent farmer living five miles east of this city, completely demolished the building, and caused the death of Mrs. York and her eldest daughter. Another daughter and a son were severely, but not fatally, injured. Preparatory to Monday's work in blasting stumps, York had placed a number of frozen sticks of dynamite under the kitchen stove to thaw out, and then went to the stable to attend to his horses. Shortly afterwards a loud explosion occurred and when the farmer turned to learn whence the report came, he saw his house shattered to atoms; pieces of wood and stone being hurled a great distance away. It was some time before the mangled bodies of his wife and eldest daughter were found. The former was an unrecognizable mass of flesh, and was frightfully lacerated. The girl had evidently been killed by the weight of debris, under a great mass of which her body was found.

PRESS COMMENT.

UNJUSTIFIABLE CONDUCT.

The member for Comox has been unusually quiet this session. He is not too old to learn wisdom, and it is very evident that the strictures passed upon his conduct last year have resulted in much good. It is, however, evident that his *penchant* for making ill-natured remarks still clings to him, as, to make an exactly opposite comparison, does the scent to the rose. The superintendent of education is now the subject of his puny wrath. He demands on the floor of the assembly that excellent official's decapitation, and makes an attack upon him personally that is as unjustifiable as it is undeserved. To say nothing of the cowardliness exhibited by abusing a man who has no opportunity to defend himself, the exceeding bad taste shown by villifying a servant of the Government when the head of the department is himself in his place—the responsible party, able and willing to defend the conduct of his deputy—must be apparent to all right-thinking people. We do not desire to say anything unkind of Mr. Humphreys, but we must condemn his wild utterances on the occasion referred to. Mr. Pope is recognized, by those who know his capacity much better than Mr. Humphreys, as a gentleman of scholarly attainments, popular with the great majority of teachers of the Province, and an efficient superintendent of the educational interests of British Columbia. It will require more than the unsupported and manifestly vindictive assertions of Mr. Humphreys to make the public believe otherwise. But that is neither here nor there. The fact remains, and the member for Comox ought to know it better than most men, having himself been a minister of the Crown, that the Hon. John Robson is the responsible head of the Department, and against him, the Minister of Education, ought any charges he might wish to make be preferred. Mr. Humphreys will probably next be heard from in the *role* of a critic of the clerks in the various offices. It is greatly to be regretted that the successor of Chief Priest Storehouse—now one of the bright and shining lights of the Mormon colony at Lethbridge—does not follow in his footsteps—in so far, at least, as keeping a civil tongue in his head and following the rules of Parliamentary procedure as they are known to even the greenest member of the Assembly.—*Vancouver World.*

COMOX NEWS.

[Nanaimo *Courier*.]

The Knights of Pythias hall at Comox has been completed and the new edifice is a credit to this enterprising and progressive place. This hall is a most commodious one, being in dimensions 100×30, and is nicely fitted up, and will be a boon to the residents of this thriving locality.

The farmers are busily engaged in seeding, and although the weather has not been at all favorable for agricultural operations, good progress has been made. A largely increased acreage of oats has been sown, and there will be an increase in the amount of other cereals planted and sown.

The railway bridge has been completed, and it is without doubt a most substantial structure.

The bridge over the gulch, near McPhee's store, is being torn down and will be replaced by a new one.

"CLUTCH" DONAHUE.

The Notorious "Fence" Pardoned on Representation that He is Dying of Consumption and Has But a Few Days to Live.

OTTAWA, Ont., March 23.—John Donahue, better known along the Niagara frontier as "Clutch" Donahue, the notorious "fence," who has been serving out a sentence of sixyears in Kingston prison, was released to-day on representation that he is dying of consumption and has but few days to live. His wife made a pathetic appeal to the Minister of Justice that her husband be pardoned to die outside of the prison, and her request was granted. Donahue kept the Queen's Hotel at Erie, and was implicated in numerous robberies on the American side, acting as receiver of stolen goods. He was sued by the U. S. Express Co. to recover the value of bonds stolen at Susquehanna, Pa., and which were said to have come into Donahue's possession in his capacity of "fence." The Express Co. also furnished evidence which led to his arrest on criminal charges of being a receiver of stolen goods, on which charge he was convicted.

BEHRING'S SEA CLOSED.

President Harrison's Proclamation Respecting the Seal Fisheries.

All Vessels Unauthorized Will be Seized—The Sealers Warned—The Thetis Ordered to Proceed to Behring's Sea Immediately.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—The following proclamation was issued late this afternoon by the President of the United States of America:—

Proclamation: The following provisions of the laws of the United States are hereby published for the information of all concerned. Section 1956 of the revised statutes, chapter 23, enacts that no person shall kill any otter, mink, marten, sable or fur seal, or other fur-bearing animals within the limits of Alaska territory, or in the waters thereof; and every person guilty thereof shall be fined not less than $200, or imprisoned not more than six months, or both, and all vessels; their tackle, apparel, furniture and cargo found in violation shall be forfeited, but the secretary of the treasury shall have power to authorize the killing of any such mink, marten, sable, or other fur-bearing animals or fur seals under such regulations as he may prescribe, and it shall be the duty of the secretary to prevent the killing of any fur seal and to provide for the execution of the provisions of this section until it is otherwise provided by law, nor shall he make special privilege under this section.

Section 3 of the act entitled "An Act to provide for the protection of the salmon fisheries of Alaska," approved March 2, 1889, provides that section 1956 of the revised statutes of the United States is hereby declared to include and apply to all the dominion of the United States in the waters of Behring sea, and it shall be the duty of the president at a timely season in each year, to issue his proclamation and cause the same to be published at each United States port of entry on the Pacific coast, warning all persons against entering such waters for the purpose of violating the provisions of said section, and he shall also cause one or more vessels of the United States to diligently cruise in said waters and arrest all persons and seize all vessels found to be or to have been engaged in any violation of the laws of the United States therein.

Now, therefore, I, Benjamin Harrison, president of the United States, in pursuance of the above recited statute, hereby warn all persons against entering the waters of Behring sea within the dominion of the United States for the purpose of violating the provisions of section 1956 of the revised statute, and I hereby proclaim that all persons found in said waters to have been engaged in any violation of the laws of the United States in said waters will be arrested and punished as above provided, and that all vessels so employed, their tackle, apparel, furniture and cargoes will be seized and forfeited.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed. Done at the city of Washington this 21st day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, and of the independence of the United States the one hundred and thirteenth.

BENJAMIN HARRISON, President.
JAMES G. BLAINE, Secretary of State.

THE THETIS ORDERED NORTH.

Sailing orders have been sent to the United States steamer Thetis, at Mare Island navy yard, to proceed to Sitka, touching at such places as the commanding officer may deem necessary. When she arrives at Sitka and communicates with the civil authorities she will, if the situation is quiet and her presence there not required, continue on northward and devote her attention particularly to the whaling fleet and other commercial interests of the United States in the waters about Behring's Straits and the Arctic Ocean.

As the whaling vessels usually leave the Arctic in the latter part of September, the presence of the Thetis until then will add security to those engaged in that important industry and the Thetis will remain until they have taken their departure southward, taking care not to be caught in the ice. She will then return to Sitka and await further instructions.

PERSONAL.

P. Van Tassel is in the city.

Uriah Nelson returned from the mainland last night.

F. C. Gamble, C.E., came over on the Islander last night.

George Thomson, M.P.P., went up to Nanaimo yesterday.

H. P. Merritt and wife, of San Francisco, are at the Driard.

D. W. Corbin came home by the Sound steamer last evening.

Mrs. J. Dougall and F. C. Dougall, of Vancouver, are in the city.

Messrs. W. H. Ladner, and James Tolmie, M.P.P.'s, are in Nanaimo.

W. C. Crandall, M. P. Lisher, and E. H. Work, St. Paul tourists, are at the Oriental.

H. B. Good, with S. J. Pitts, is again at his post after a protracted illness of seven weeks.

Rev. D. Gamble arrived from the Sound yesterday, and will spend a few days in Victoria.

Mrs. Bredemeyer arrived by the San Francisco steamer last evening to join her husband in this city.

R. J. Byers, well and favorably known to the travelling public, is purser on the steamship City of Puebla.

Mr. H. G. Lewis (Agent Marine) will leave on Monday next for Bonilla Point to select a site for the lighthouse, fog alarm, and signal station.

I. Lipsett, an old Victorian, now a resident of San Jose, Cal., came up on a visit yesterday.

J. Kirkup, provincial constable at Revelstoke, came down yesterday having in charge an Indian charged with attempted robbery.

James F. Evans, of The Dalles, Ore., master mechanic of the O. R. & N. Co., is in the city, and will remain here until Monday morning. It is Mr. Evans' first visit to Victoria, but we hope it will not be his last.

H. McFadden, proprietor of the Boston Double Uncle Tom's Cabin Co., found in this city many old friends, comrades of his when with the Queen's Own of Toronto, he hastened to the Northwest during the last rebellion.

The *Oregonian* says:—Mr. Louis Redon, of the Driard House, Victoria, was in Portland yesterday. There was a rumor that his visit had to do with negotiations looking to his taking charge of the Portland Hotel when that great establishment shall be ready to go into business. There are many persons all over the Northwest who, from acquaintance formed with Mr. Redon at the Driard, can testify that he "knows how to keep a hotel."

The Letter That Came

From Mr. J. Hayden, 139 Chatham St., Montreal, says: "I was troubled for years with biliousness and liver complaint, and I never found any medicine to help me like Burdock Blood Bitters, in fact one bottle made a complete cure." w-f-s

Lawn Tennis Rackets, Lawn Tennis Balls, at T. N. HIBBEN & Co.

OUR CABLE LETTER.

Photography Proves Beyond Dispute The Parnell Letters are Forgeries.

Discussion over the Question of Whether it It is Possible to Bring About Dissolution—Important Discovery in Surgery—The Australian Eight.

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LONDON, March 23.—Much surprise has been created, not only in Liberal but in Conservative circles as well, at the public announcement made by Lord Salisbury in a speech this week that he still believes the Parnell letters were genuine, especially as a piece of evidence has been brought out which puts the forgery altogether beyond the possibility of cavil or dispute. This evidence was supplied by means of the science of photography. When the letters were produced in court, they were photographed in the usual way. The photograph was afterwards enlarged, and the enlargement disclosed in the clearest way the tracing on them in pencil, including the signature of Parnell, and that over the pencil tracing, plainly to be seen by the naked eye, was the careful pen of the forger; and when he had missed the exact tracing, the pencil marks became clean in the photographic plate. Not only so, but a line the forger had made, appeared across the face of the letter, and most astonishing of all, at the foot and end of the letter the enlarged photograph revealed a most curious scribbling of names. Healey's name, for example, was pencilled in Roman characters. These facts should have dissipated any doubts Lord Salisbury may have had, as they did with other members of the cabinet. Even Mr. Froude, who firmly believed in

THE PARNELL LETTERS.

When shown one of these photographs by Jacob Bright, he said he conceived it to be simply incredible that such a paper as the *Times* should have published the letters without first taking every means in its power to test and establish their genuineness. Jacob Bright is authority for stating that Froude admitted that the policy of home rule was inevitable, and must sooner or later be tried. When Parnell was told of Froude's admission, the Irish leader said he was not in the slightest degree surprised to hear it, and he volunteered the information that it was a study of Froude's work on the "English in Ireland" that first had the effect of making him a home ruler.

Mr. Morley's speech in the House of Commons on Thursday night, in which he said it would be irrational to propose a vote of censure of the government now, because fresh disclosures were made daily, but it would come in good time, has created a lively discussion on the question, "Is it possible to bring about dissolution?" Several months ago, in conversation with Mr. Cobb, the liberal member for Rugby, Mr. Gladstone expressed the opinion that when the country is

RIPE FOR DISSOLUTION,

there were means by which it can be accomplished. The ex-premier has recently been reminded of this conversation, and representations have been made to him from members below the gangway, to the effect that the time is fast approaching when dissolution ought to be demanded.

The suspension of the *locomotor ataxy*, that curious disease of the spinal cord which is associated with so many forms of paralysis, is now attracting a great deal of attention among hospital physicians in London. Within the past two months a somewhat extensive trial of this new method by Professor Charcot, of Paris, has yielded most encouraging results. The patients have in many respects improved—a great thing to be able to affirm, in view of the fact that the disease is thought to be incurable, and almost invariably pursues a fatal course. Suspension, it is suggested, may improve the circulation of the blood in the spinal column; but, however this may be, the treatment has already been extensively adopted in the London hospitals, and the results so far obtained thoroughly confirm those which have been reported from Paris. The method of suspending the patients is by no means new to medical practice, having been for many years employed in cases of curvature of the spine, but it is quite novel in its application to *locomotor ataxy*. It was accidentally discovered by a Russian physician at Odessa, and Dr. Charcot has merely adopted the plan.

THE AUSTRALIAN EIGHT.

The enterprise of sending to England a representative amateur eight from Australia does not seem likely to end happily. The Melbourne authorities will not, and quite rightly from a colonial point of view, exclude men who belong to the artisan class; but the rules of the London Amateur Rowing Association are quite imperative on this point, and the Australian eight, in which were some artisans, might on arriving in England find itself in the unfortunate predicament of being without any opponents.

The report of the victory of Senoussiya at Senua, which was received from Cairo on Sunday last, has been confirmed by a telegraph despatch received at the British foreign office this afternoon, and if all late news is true, Khaliba cannot long hold his position at Omdurman. A glance at the map will make the position clear. Khartoum stands surrounded on three sides by water, the fork being made by the branching of the Blue and White Nile. The Mahdi, fearing the difficulty of crossing the river in case of an attack by a force which might oblige him to evacuate the town, prepared to establish himself, after Khartoum had fallen, at Omdurman, on the left bank of the White Nile. It seemed that in the town his enemies might be safely faced, but on making these depositions he counted upon an enemy which should come against him from the north, and relied upon devoted Cordofan, the cradle and stronghold of Mahdism, in his rear. Now

THE CONDITIONS ARE REVERSED.

Three of the principal towns of Kordofan—Elobeid, Sinan, and Bera—are, according to the despatch of this afternoon, in the hands of an enemy more formidable, perhaps, than any which was at all likely to have marched against him up the Nile. What was his front has become his rear, and if he attempts to retreat it must be through the desert—every oasis of which he has rendered desolate—to fall at last upon the Egyptian frontier, bristling with bayonets and lined with tribes who seek only the opportunity to rise against him. Since the success of the Egyptian troops at Suakin, refugees from the border have become more numerous, and everywhere the story is the same, of ruin and devastation worked by the wild horde who have hitherto obeyed him. The towns and villages he destroyed are so many vengeances stored up against him for the day of his defeat. He dare not risk the danger of being taken between an opposing force marching up against him from the south, and such a line of hostility on the north. What is to be expected is that he will abandon Omdurman without waiting for attack and endeavor to step past the approaching army into the fertile district of Senaar. There he will have lost the Soudan and all the territory which lies between the present frontier of Egypt and the old frontier, and Mehemet Ali will be in the hands of a power that has risen against him. That power is El Senassi, with Saleh Bey chief of a very important tribe of western Soudanese, who did England good service in the Nile campaign. Raabs, once chief of the Zebbers forces and Sultan of Darsila and Sultan of Wadai. Then the troops are said to be numerous, and El Esenonssi has written a letter to Khalifa, in which he declares his intention of

TAKING THE SOUDAN

from the latter and restoring peace and order to Egypt. The influence of Senoussi Ya, as a religious confederacy, is felt from Morocco to Syria, and from Tripoli to Zanzibar. He is picturesquely described as receiving with veiled face the pilgrims who made their way to his capital, exhorting his devotees to austerity and purity of life, to charity towards their neighbors and endurance of sorrows and sufferings of life. His influence is so great that attempts are constantly being made by political leaders to win his sympathies for their enterprises. To all he has returned the same answer, that his business is with the souls of his people and not with their material well being. The despatch this afternoon positively states he has cast away the veil from his face and come forward himself to crush the false Mahdi. If it be true, there can be little doubt that the reign of Khalifa is at an end, and altogether a new chapter of history has opened on the Nile.

CONDENSED DESPATCHES.

Sir Robert Gladstone, Bart., brother of Right Hon. Wm. E. Gladstone, is dead, aged 85.

In the House of Commons on Thursday evening, Henry Cecil Raikes, postmaster-general, announced that the government had decided to lay a cable between Bermuda and Halifax.

When the vote on the salary for the chief secretary for Ireland, Balfour, was reached, Mr. John Morley made a speech in which he severely criticised the government's action in carrying on a further clandestine battle behind their opponent's backs. Mr. Charles Bradlaugh moved the reduction of the salary by £500.

The London *Star* says Mr. Leads, Mr. Parnell's solicitor, has obtained possession of the diary of the late forger Pigott, and that it contains much matter of ill-omen to the equivocators of the treasury bench. To what use its contents will be put will be seen later.

In the Lower House of the Prussian diet, Herr Henfurth, replying to Herr Rickert, said he did not consider himself authorized to discuss the motives of the government in suppressing the *Volks Zeitung*, a paper of socialistic tendencies.

In the deputies at Paris yesterday, Deputy Laur interpolated the government regarding the copper crisis. He demanded that the provisions of the penal code be put in operation against the monopolies which had brought about the disaster. He accused the firm of Rothschild of causing the crisis.

The strike situation at Fall River, Mass., is still unchanged, except that the Grenier, Richards, Borden, Troy, and Mechanics mills have shut down entirely. Others will close on Saturday, and it seems that every mill in town will be closed by Saturday, and then 25,000 operatives will be idle.

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TEXADA'S WEALTH.

Dr. Bredemeyer, Ph. D., Gives His Opinion About the Minerals of the Island.

Dr. Bredemeyer, Ph. D., of Vancouver, is an assayer and mining expert whose opinion is held in high esteem by mining men. The Doctor is at present at the Driard, where he was seen yesterday morning by a COLONIST representative. He says that he has made over 120 assays of ore from Texada Island, four or five of which are really first-class; particularly the ore from the Golden Slipper, Vancouver, Blue Bell, Victoria and Eureka claims. The ores go from $12 to $600 per ton, and contain nothing of value but gold, all in pyrites. In the specimens examined there has been no free gold to be seen, though they say it has been found in very small specimens in the new district of the lake. The ores from Texada, Dr. Bredemeyer says, should be reduced by either roasting or the Russell leaching process. By the first, the cost would be from $9 to $10 per ton, while by the leaching process the cost would be from $6 to $7. By the Russell process the extraction of gold would be about 5% higher than by roasting. Dr. Bredemeyer is of the opinion that as the Texada prospectors get down, say from 100 to 150 feet, the find will turn out to be a lead and silver ledge. All the indications point in this direction, and a four-foot vein of lead has already been discovered. Surface croppings show 30 to 40% in lead, and 6 to 30 ozs. in silver to the ton. Younge's pay streak contains 34% in iron and about $12 gold to the ton, so it would seem that almost every metal, both base and precious, can be found on the Island, and everything can be utilized. Gold, silver, lead and iron having been shown to have an existence on the Island, it should be the duty of home capital to take Texada in hand, and keep the profits arising from her mineral richness in the province, instead of allowing everything—like the iron—to be shipped to the United States and there made up.

CABLE NEWS.

An Epidemic of Cholera and Yellow Fever.

The Famine in China Becoming Worse—Proposed Regency Upon the Death of the King of Holland—Imperial Parliament Debate.

Scene in the Commons.

LONDON, March 23.—In the House of Commons on Fridas Sir William Harcourt questioned Attorney-General Webster exhaustively concerning his knowledge of Pigott's letters. The attorney-general, he said, would doubtless now tell the house when he first learned of Pigott's character, and also whether he was informed when Houston burned Pigott's correspondence. Sir Richard Webster said he had never vouched to the government for the authenticity of the letters. Harcourt ought to know that no counsel ever vouches for the truth of what he proposed to prove by the evidence produced. Harcourt, he said, was questioning him because he knew that a certain section of the press was only too ready to turn suggestions into accusations. Regarding Pig

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"BACKING DOWN."

The local organ of the demoralized opposition has endeavored to make it appear that there was a complete "backdown" on the part of the educational department in connection with the amendment to the act having reference to the suspension or cancellation of teachers' certificates, and it was broadly stated by the Opposition, both in the House and out of it, that the minister and the superintendent had been actually "scared into it." From what we know about the minister, we do not think he is very apt to be scared, especially by such an opposition as the present. But an examination into the facts will, we think, tend to show that any "backing down" has been on the other side; and one cannot help suspecting that the Opposition seized upon the withdrawal of certain words from the amendment as an excuse for *their* "backdown"—as something to cover their retreat. As the amendment first appeared on the notice paper it read thus: "With the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council, to summarily suspend from teaching any teacher guilty of gross misconduct, or signally failing in the proper management of a school, or for other sufficient reason," etc., etc. But before the time came for inserting the amendment in the Bill the words "guilty of gross misconduct, or signally failing in the proper management of a school, or for other sufficient reason," were withdrawn and the simple words "for cause" substituted; and that is the form in which it has been incorporated with the act. And that is what constituted the ignominious "back down" over which the Opposition pretend to chuckle. We use the word "pretend" advisedly, because it is difficult to assume such an amount of verdancy on the part of the opposition as to believe that they can possibly be sincere. The average schoolboy must see at a glance that the amendment in its present form really places greater power in the hands of the educational department than it would have done as first placed on the notice paper. The words "for cause" leave it to the department to say what shall constitute "cause;" whereas the words specifying cause took that discretionary power away. It must, therefore, be perfectly clear that the educational department *backed up*, instead of down, in this matter; and if the Opposition are honest in believing that they were instrumental in having the words eliminated, they are entitled to lay the flattering unction to their soul—if peradventure they possess such a commodity—that they have been instrumental in investing the educational department with more power than was asked.

A CONCEITED CONTEMPORARY.

The *News-Advertiser* has an abundant stock of modest assurance. It is exceedingly well satisfied with itself, but it has a poor opinion of all its contemporaries. It finds fault with the newspapers of the province—Government, Opposition and Independent—for the way in which they have treated the Budget speech, yet its own performance is about as nice a specimen of the mixing and muddling of figures as it has been our lot to read. It takes up the complaint of THE COLONIST that there is in the public accounts of the province no distinction between ordinary expenditure and expenditure on capital account and then tries, in a blundering way, to make the division for itself. Some idea may be formed of the accuracy of the method adopted by our contemporary when it is known that without an examination of the items contained in the Estimates for the coming year it, at a venture, takes one-third of the appropriation for public works as expenditure on capital account. Now, a very superficial examination of the Estimates will show that by far the greater part of this sum is to be expended on a few public buildings alone. Here are some of the items:

Asylum for the Insane	$40,000
Court House, Vancouver	10,000
Public Schools, Vancouver	10,000
Juvenile Reformatory	3,000
School Houses in various places	11,000
	$74,000

Here is $74,000 of the $92,000 that the *News-Advertiser* allows for permanent works without taking into account the appropriation for boring the artesian well, for the opening up of new roads or for the construction of new bridges and wharves. By such a reckless way of dealing with the public finances the deficit could be swelled to almost any amount by a stupid or an unscrupulous editor. The truth is that only those who are intimately acquainted with the work of the Government can, with any approach to correctness, separate the ordinary expenditure from the expenditure for works of a permanent nature. It is easy enough to show that the *News-Advertiser* is very far astray in its off-hand estimate of what is ordinary and what is extraordinary expenditure, but it is impossible for any one who has not an intimate acquaintance with the business of the department to make any division that is at all reliable.

We think that the Government is doing itself an injustice in not keeping a capital account. It would, if it did, like the Dominion and some of the provinces of the confederation, be able to boast of a surplus when it had actually spent a great deal more than it had received as revenue. The Government of New Brunswick, for instance, declares a surplus for last year of $13,786. But when it does this it takes into account only ordinary revenue and ordinary expenditure. It made during the year large expenditures on railways, departmental buildings and other permanent works. If the New Brunswick accounts had been kept in the same way as the British Columbia accounts, instead of having a small surplus to boast of it would have to deplore a large deficit. The Dominion Government has been having surpluses for many years except last year, but it has, nevertheless, been going more and more deeply into debt. This showing could not have been made if the Dominion Public Accounts were kept as those of this province are.

But this is after all a mere matter of accounts. If it is considered wise for the sake of developing the resources of the province to spend on permanent works every year more than the revenue warrants, it is well that the people should know each year exactly how far the expenditure exceeds the income without being obliged to search through intricate accounts which only experts can understand. There are, no doubt, many people who are not by any means unintelligent, who find it hard to understand how the Dominion has managed to run into debt so deeply when they saw, year after year, that there was a surplus in the Treasury. Though the journalists and the politicians boasted loudly of the recurring surpluses, they said no more than they could help about the debt that was steadily accruing. But the British Columbian who pays any attention to the subject is able to see each year exactly how the government stands financially. The showing may not be as favorable to the government as it could be made by a different system of bookkeeping, but it is simple and it is honest. For our part, we must say that we prefer the Dominion system. It gives a better classification of both revenue and expenditure, and it does not give guessers and muddlers, like our contemporary the *News-Advertiser* and the member for Cassiar, such favorable opportunities for misrepresentation.

It may suit our contemporary's purpose to paint the future in gloomy colors, and pretentiously to condemn the Government for anticipating the future, but if the Government refused to give Vancouver the court-house that it needs, and postponed the erection of the school-houses that it demands, it would be the first to complain and to threaten it with its most strenuous opposition if it continued to neglect so important a part of the province. And as Vancouver is, so are all the other towns and settlements of British Columbia. They want public improvements, and they say, and in many cases, most truly, that the province cannot afford to wait for them. It is better to go in debt than to allow it to want what its welfare and progress require.

A CONVERSION.

The Toronto *Globe* after some wavering has completely changed front on the Jesuit question. It professes to be converted to the side of disallowance by articles that have recently appeared in *The Canada Law Journal* and the *Canadian Law Times*. It says:

"The facts, interpretations and arguments set forth in the articles have removed from our minds, and will remove from the mind of the lay public, all doubts as to the nature of the Act in question. To make assurance doubly sure, we have privately obtained the opinion of very well known and learned lawyers, quite dissociated from politics, as to the soundness of the contentions of the *Law Journal* and the *Law Times*. As their opinion tally in every essential we have to repeat with the utmost emphasis what we have alleged somewhat tentatively hitherto, that the Jesuit Act should be disallowed."

The change in the *Globe* shows how strong the current of popular opinion in Ontario runs in favor of disallowance. We very strongly suspect that expediency has had a great deal more to do with the *Globe*'s conversion than conviction. It has been all along a strong assertor of provincial rights. It held, indeed, extreme views as to the use of the prerogative of the veto by the Federal Government, and consistently with those views, it contended that Sir John Macdonald was justified in allowing the Jesuit Act to become law. But the agitation against the allowance of the law has been growing in the Province of Ontario, and, no doubt, the *Globe* has found it difficult and perhaps unprofitable, to pull against the stream. Hence the "flop."

The articles in the *Law Times* and *Law Journal*, which carried conviction to the heart and mind of the *Globe* are silent upon what many people consider the most important part of the Quebec Act. They admit the power of the Provincial Legislature to give to the Jesuits $400,000, or any other sum, of the public money. The part of the act which makes the grant of money is according to them perfectly constitutional. It is to the reference to the Pope that those journals take exception. What the Pope is empowered to do by the Act is to make such disposal of the money among the religious orders in the province of Quebec as may appear to him just and proper. "This grant of authority to the Pope, a foreign potentate or sovereign," the *Law Journal* says, "brings up the question whether the Act is constitutional." In order to prove its unconstitutionality it refers to Imperial statutes that are hundreds of years old. It maintains that these old English laws are in force in Canada as well as in Great Britain. The law journals discuss the question at great length, and the conclusion they come to is that the Quebec Legislature does not possess the power to authorize a foreign power to exercise authority of any kind within its territory. The *Law Times* in a recent editorial, in which the whole case is reviewed in all its aspects, says: "The constitutional question that arises is not the voting away of public money, be the pretext ever so shallow, but the subordination of the Sovereign to a foreign authority, and the placing of Her Majesty's funds at the disposal of some foreign authority."

We will not presume to offer an opinion on so abstruse a question in the presence of such a high authority, but it occurs to us that the case cannot be quite so clear as the law journals make out, for if the law were plainly unconstitutional there would be an easy way for Sir John Macdonald to get out of an exceedingly unpleasant and embarrassing position. All that he would have to say to the Quebec Premier would be: "My dear Mercier, I have no desire to interfere unnecessarily in the affairs of your Province. I would like to oblige you and your friends, but you see this law of yours is no law at all. Your Legislature did not possess the power to enact it, and it is consequently so much waste paper." Mr. Mercier, provided the law is such as the *Law Times* declares it to be, would have nothing to say. A law that is no law does not require to be disallowed. It is essentially null and void and could never be acted upon. We cannot help thinking that if Sir John Macdonald and Sir John Thompson and other lawyers whom, no doubt, they have consulted on the subject, are of the opinion that the Quebec law is utterly unconstitutional, the Dominion Government would not have waited until now to inform the Government of Quebec of the conclusion at which they had arrived. No one could be offended because the Federal Government had rejected a law which upon examination they had found the Provincial Legislature did not possess the power to enact. We are very much afraid that the *Globe* has either not sufficiently examined the question of the constitutionality of the Quebec Act, or has, without understanding the question, adopted the view which it found is the most convenient to hold. There is a rumor, too, that Mr. Blake is satisfied that the law is constitutional. That being the case, the pressure on the *Globe* must be very severe indeed, when it, in a matter of law, sets its opinion against that of so high an authority. For our part, as we do not believe that Sir John Macdonald is willing to permit a law which he knows to be unconstitutional to be placed on the statute book of the province of Quebec for the mere fun of being kept in hot water and of seeing how fiercely people can fight in a quasi-religious quarrel, we take the liberty of doubting the soundness of the opinion of the *Globe* and the law journals.

Even if that opinion is sound and the Jesuit Act is rejected on the ground of unconstitutionality, we cannot see that the case will be greatly mended. There is nothing to hinder the Quebec Legislature passing another law giving the Jesuits the $400,000 absolutely, without the intervention of the Pope or anyone else. Such a law, according to the *Globe's* own authorities, would be perfectly constitutional and it could not, consistently with its former principles, object to the allowance of such a law. The Quebec Legislature was competent to enact it, therefore it would be an infringement on the rights of the province to disallow it. In that case the last state of the Jesuit question would, from the Ontario agitators' point of view, be worse than the first. It is greatly to be deplored that this question has arisen to disturb the tranquility of the Dominion. But we have faith enough in the good sense and moderation of the majority of our fellow-countrymen to believe that it will be settled without creating any serious disturbance.

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The following is Prof. Saunders' report in reference to the experimental farm for British Columbia:

Two visits were made to British Columbia, the first in December, 1886, the second in September, 1887, for the purpose of enquiring into the conditions of agriculture there and of ascertaining where suitable sites for an experimental farm for the Province could be found which would combine such advantages as were needed to make such an institution generally useful to the farmers of that country. During these visits I had the opportunity of examining many farms on Vancouver Island as well as the mainland. On the island, farms were inspected in the vicinity of Victoria, also in the farming districts of South Saanich, Somenos and Chemainus, travelling to the terminus of the island railway at Nanaimo.

On the mainland the fertile delta lands of the Fraser River were examined and diligent enquiries made into the character and capabilities of the land in many other districts which the time at my disposal would not permit me to visit, particularly with regard to those comparatively large areas of meadow and prairie lands on the south side of the Fraser River and extending to the United States boundary, including the Langley municipality and the districts of Chilliwhack and Sumas. On the Pacific Railway from Vancouver and Westminster eastward to Fort Yale, a distance of about one hundred miles, was made a special subject of enquiry, and the land carefully examined at every promising point.

The requirements which it was thought desirable to embody in this site were:

1st. Land of good quality, combining an area of meadow land suitable for stock-raising and grain-growing, with higher meadow and bench lands suitable for fruit culture.

2nd. Land situated high enough above the banks of adjacent rivers to prevent its being overflowed during the highest floods.

3rd. Accessibility by rail and water.

4th. A central location which would be fairly representative of the greater part of the farming lands in the coast climate.

Of all the farms visited and examined none appeared to combine so many advantages as a part of the land composing the Agassiz farm, adjoining the station known as "Agassiz," on the mainland and also on the line of the Canadian Pacific railway. The land offered here for the purpose of an experimental farm and which was finally chosen as a site for that institution, consists of about 300 acres immediately adjoining and opposite the railway station and fronting on the track for about half a mile. Along the western boundary runs the road leading to the Harrison Hot Springs, which are five and a half miles distant. About thirty-five acres of this land has been brought under cultivation, including nearly three acres of orchard, the young trees in which are coming well into bearing. There are about 200 acres of prairie land which was cleared many years ago and is now covered with a growth of fern and small underbrush. There are a few acres o higher bench land partly wooded, which would be well suited for fruit growing, and early fifty acres of timbered land, containing fine specimens of Douglas fir and cedar. The farm is protected on the north by a mountain which rises more or less precipitously immediately in rear of the bench land.

The soil, with the exception of that on the bench land, varies from a rich sandy loam mixed with clay, to a loam, almost entirely clay, from nine to twelve inches in depth, with a porous subsoil, in some places sandy, in others clay, resting on gravel which is found from five to eight feet below the surface, and affords good natural drainage. The bench land inclines towards the south and is covered with a dark sandy loam of good depth and quality with a variable subsoil. All of this land is sufficiently elevated to prevent its being overflowed by the Fraser River, even in the highest floods.

Good water can be obtained anywhere at a depth of fifteen to twenty feet in the underlying gravel. There are also several small springs along the base of the mountain in the rear which might be utilized if required.

Agassiz is situated seventy miles east of the town of Vancouver and sixty-two miles from New Westminster near which are the fertile delta lands of the Fraser River, estimated at 75,000 to 100,000 acres. It is twenty-eight miles from Mission and forty-four from Port Haney where by crossing the river the agricultural municipality of Langley is reached. There is also a steamboat landing within two miles of the experimental farm, where the river steamers call twice a week during the season of navigation, by which means the farming districts of Chilliwhack and Sumas can be easily reached. Eastward the distance to Hope is eighteen miles, to Port Yale thirty-two miles and eighty-six miles to Lytton, near which point the drier central area of tillable land in British Columbia begins. It will be seen that this site is very central, having clustering around it some of the best agricultural districts on the mainland. It is also on the railway which is the great highway for travel through that country and is accessible by water, while in the character and variety of the soil, its good natural drainage, the ease with which the greater part of the land can be brought under cultivation and its freedom from danger of flood, are advantages seldom found combined in one site.

The clearing of heavily timbered land in British Columbia is a most laborious and expensive undertaking, costing from fifty to one hundred dollars an acre and upwards, and occupying much time. Had an uncleared lot been selected the time required to bring such land into a condition for tillage, would have delayed farm operations there to any extent for several years. With the selection made no such delay will be necessary, and the farm may soon be made useful to the agriculture and horticulture of that Province.

Delay which has been unavoidable has occurred in the acquiring of the property so that nothing could be done on it until very late in the season. Nearly 100 acres have been cleared of the small undergrowth, and about twenty acres ploughed, and thus sufficient land has been made available for such experimental work as it may be thought desirable to undertake there during the coming season.

OKANAGON NOTES,

At present, March 11th, the roads are drying up fast, and a spring-like appearance is everywhere about. The robin, bluebird, magpie, crow, etc., are about as harbingers of spring. The winter was very favorable for stock, and and the condition of animals is promising. The grass is springing up, and cattle and horses are roaming around the ranges. Quite a quantity of fodder is held over, which will be carefully taken care of for a coming time, as the winters may not always be so pleasant and easy upon the stock.

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Mrs. R. Cæsar	" "	Section 67, Lake District	6 67
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Mrs. Marg't Hankin	" "	Lot 34, " " " "	6 00
Walter Hine	" "	Lot 2, 20 acres of Sections 45 and 85, "	2 67
Walter Harvey	" "	27 acres of Section 72, "	8 00
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Magnus Nelson	" "	Section 93, 160 acres, "	6 67
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Frank Porter	" "	20 acres of Section 84, "	3 35
Otto Pulvermiller	Real pro. & wild land	25 acres of Section 127, Lake District	2 81
Rev. G. W. Taylor	Real property	Lot 3, Section 36, 14½ acres, Victoria District	5 35
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Mrs McMillan	Real property	Section 33, 143 acres, Sooke District	6 00
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Mrs. M. A. Smith	Real property	Lot 8, Section 10, Esquimalt District	5 00
J. Turner	Real and wild land	Section 11, Metchosin	10 50
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Adam Weir	Real property	Section 35, Metchosin	6 00
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TACOMA---VICTORIA ROUTE.

Daily except Saturday.		Daily except Sunday.	
Lv Tacoma	7:00 a.m	Lv Victoria	6:00 a.m
Ar Seattle	9:15 a.m	Ar Pt. Towns'd	9:15 a.m
Lv Seattle	9:45 a.m	Lv Pt. Towns'd	10:00 a.m
Ar Pt. Towns'd	1:15 p.m	Ar Seattle	1:30 p.m
Lv Pt. Towns'd	2:00 p.m	Lv Seattle	6:45 p.m
Ar Victoria	5:30 p.m	Ar Tacoma	9:00 p.m

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Canadian Pacific

NAVIGATION

COMPANY, (LIMITED)

Time Table No. 11, Takes Effect Mar. 23, 1889.

Vancouver Route:

Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday, at 4 o'clock.

Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday, at 11:30 o'clock, or on arrival of C. P. R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route:

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's, and Lulu Island—Sundays at 23 o'clock, Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2, going east Monday.

For Plumper Pass—Wednesday and Friday, at 7 o'clock.

For Moresby Island—Friday at 7 o'clock.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 14:30 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass—Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Fraser River Route:

Steamers leave New Westminster for Hope and Way Landings every Wednesday.

For CHILLIWHACK and Way Landings every Monday and Saturday at 7 o'clock, during river navigation.

Northern Route:

Steamship SARDONYX will leave for Port Simpson and intermediate ports on the FIRST and FIFTEENTH of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route:

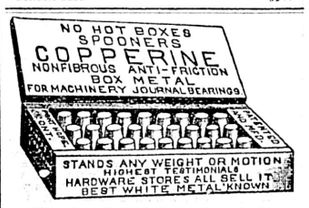
Steamer MAUDE leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound Ports when sufficient inducements offer.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table without notification. Steamers leave by standard time.

JOHN IRVING, Manager.

G. A. CARLETON, General Agent,

March 21st jy25



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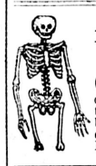

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT FROM and after this date the provisions of Section 5 of the By-Law, No. 145, will be strictly enforced, which reads as follows:—

"No person shall suffer his horse, ass, mule, "cow, cattle, goat, sheep, swine, goose or dog "(except a dog registered as hereinafter mentioned) to run at large within the limits of the "City."

By order,

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,

City Hall, C. M. C.

March 22, 1889. mar23-tf

MUNICIPAL.

Dogs at Large!

THE PUBLIC ARE REQUESTED TO take notice that all dogs found at large within the City limits, after this date, without the Corporation Tag for the current year, will be impounded and dealt with in accordance with the provisions of "The Pound By-Law."

Dog Tags can be obtained on application at the City Hall.

By order, CHAS. KENT,

Victoria, March 20, 1889. Collector.

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MUNICIPAL.

PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS WILL BE Received at the City Clerk's Office up to Wednesday the 27th instant, at 4 p. m., for the construction of a BRIDGE ACROSS ROCK BAY. Each plan to be accompanied by a tender based thereon, and each tender by certified cheque for five per cent. of the amount thereof.

Plan of site and every information provided at the office of the City Surveyor.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order,

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,

C. M. C.

City Hall, March 15th, 1889. mar17

MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT $200 is offered for the best Landscape Design for the Embellishment of Beacon Hill Park, taking into consideration the present improvement. Said design to be endorsed "Landscape, and to be received not later than 10th April next, at 4 p. m., at the office of the undersigned. The Council reserve the right not to accept any design.

By order,

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,

C. M. C.

City Hall, March 16th, 1889. mar17

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Seedsmen, Nurserymen and Florists,

Are selling GRASS AND CLOVER SEEDS at the following unprecedentedly low prices for Cash, and in quantities of 10 lbs. and upwards:

Red Clover	@ 16c.	per lb.
Alsike	25	"
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Orchard or Cocksfoot Grass	18	"
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Kentucky Blue	11	"
Mesquite	18	"
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All other Seeds, also Nursery stock of all descriptions, at correspondingly low rates.

For further particulars see our priced Catalogues, which will be forwarded post free, on application.

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NOTICES.

THE COLUMBIA MILLING COMPANY.

Assignment for the Benefit of Creditors.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTE 44 VICTORIA, chapter 12, intituled "An Act to further amend the law of property and to relieve Trustees," and the Statute 50 Victoria, chapter 2, entitled "An Act respecting Executors, Trustees and Assignees, for the benefit of Creditors," notice having been previously given by advertisement inserted for one month in the Daily COLONIST newspaper of Victoria, and the *Inland Sentinel* newspaper of Kamloops, on the 21st day of September, 1888, for all persons claiming to be creditors of the estate of George Herbert Rashdall and George Richard Lawes (trading as the Columbia Milling Company), to send particulars of their claims to the undersigned on or before the 24th day of October last, after which date the Trustees, Alfred Cornelius Flumerfelt and John Nicholles would proceed to distribute the assets of said estate ratably among the creditors only who might then have proved their claims: this notice not having been deemed sufficient:

Notice is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of George Herbert Rashdall and George Richard Lawes, trading as the Columbia Milling Company at Enderby, B. C., are hereby required to send particulars thereof in writing to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of Apr l, 1889, after which day the said Trustees will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims and demands of which they then shall have had notice, and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debts, claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.

Dated this 15th day of February, 1889.

EBERTS & TAYLOR,

feb16-2m Solicitors for the Trustees.

"Land Registry Ordinance, 1870."

Lot No. 1, Group 1, Cowgitz Cove

Skidegate Straits, Queen Charlotte Island.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE Title to the abovementioned Lot will be issued to Alfred John Langley and William Parsons Sayward, on the 26th day of April, 1889, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said lot, or some part thereof.

CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT,

Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,

Victoria, 23rd January, 1889. jan23-3mo

NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

BETWEEN

LOWENBERG, HARRIS & CO., Plaintiffs,

And HERMANN PETERS, Defendant.

TAKE NOTICE THAT THE HON. SIR Matthew B. Begbie, C. J., has appointed Dennis Reginald Harris, of the City of Victoria, receiver and manager of the personal estate, effects and credits of the above named defendant, and that consequently all moneys owing to and all the goods, chattels and effects of the said defendant must be respectively paid or delivered up to the said receiver.

feb27-1mo D. R. HARRIS.

ONG SCHONG.

Assignment for the benefit of Creditors.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT ALL persons claiming to be creditors of the estate of ONG SCHONG of the late firm of KOM WO TAI, of Lillooet, B. C., General Merchant, are required to send full particulars of their claims to MORITZ STROUSS, Esq., of Wharf st., Victoria, B. C., on or before *Monday, the 22nd day of April, 1889*, when the Trustees will proceed to distribute the moneys in their hands ratably among those creditors only who may then have proved their claims.

Dated the 12th day of March, 1889.

MORITZ STROUSS,

DONG TAI,

Trustees of the Assignment for the benefit of Creditors, Victoria, B. C.

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S. S. HYAMS, OPTICIAN, 27 FORT STREET, near Government street. Received, a consignment of Spectacles and Eye Glasses, to sell at 25c. and 50c. pair. Every Glass guaranteed to suit the sight. ☞Beware of Pedlers and irresponsible persons representing themselves as my Agents, they will impose on you and ruin your sight. sep27-1yr

RAILWAYS.

Esquimalt and Nanaimo R'y

TIME TABLE No. 9,

To take effect at 8.20 a.m. on Saturday, Dec'ber 1st, 1888. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

GOING NORTH. READ DOWN.				STATIONS.	GOING SOUTH. READ UP.		
No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Saturdays only.	No. 6 Passenger Saturdays only.			No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Saturdays only.	No. 5 Passenger Saturdays only.
De 8.20 A.M	De 2.12 P.M			VICTORIA	Ar 1.00 P.M	Ar 5.40	
" 8.24	" 2.16			RUSSELLS	" 1.06	" 5.36	
" 8.34	" 2.26			SQUIMALT	" 12.50	" 5.28	
" 8.51	" 2.51			GOLDSTREAM	" 12.23 P.M	" 5.01	
" 9.00	" 3.00			SHAWNIGAN LE	" 11.28	" 4.06	
" 9.56	" 3.56			DUNCANS	" 10.45	" 3.14	
" 10.08	" 4.08			McPHERSONS	" 10.30	" 3.41	
" 10.26	" 4.26			KOKSILAH	" 10.17	" 3.31	
" 10.37	" 4.37			DUNCANS	" 10.47	" 3.26	
" 10.42	" 4.42			SOMENOS	" 10.32	" 3.16	
" 10.52	" 4.52			CHEMAINUS	" 10.06	" 2.54	
" 11.18	" 5.18			NANAIMO	De 9.05		P.M.
Ar 12.20 P.M	" 5.56	De 12.15 P.M	P.M.		" 8.35	" 1.56	Ar 6.55
Ar 12.24	Ar 6.11	Ar 12.30	De 10.15	WELLINGTON	De 8.40 A.M	De 1.41 P.M	Do 6.40

On Saturdays and Sundays

Return Tickets will be issued between all points for a single fare, good for return Monday.

Return Tickets for one and a half ordinary fare may be purchased daily to all points, good for three days, including day of issue.

No Return Tickets issued for a Single Fare, where such fare is twenty-five cents.

Through rates between Victoria and Comox.

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Provide the best quality of food in unlimited quantity at reasonable rates. The

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along its line is unequalled, and in the details of track, train service, etc., nothing is omitted that can add to the Safety and Comfort of its patrons.

All in all, it gives the best and most serviceable line of travel, whether for business or pleasure, between *Portland, Tacoma, Seattle, Victoria, and all Pacific Coast Points, and Winnipeg, Minneapolis, St. Paul, Chicago, St. Louis, Ottawa, Toronto, Montreal, Boston, New York and all Eastern Cities.*

THROUGH TICKETS

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The Colonist.

SUNDAY, MARCH 24, 1889.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer ISLANDER, from Vancouver.—Mrs Bradley, Officer Calbick, Mrs J Dougall, Jas Anderson, U Nelson, M F Butler, J A Green, Geo Luster, Emma Matson, M Back, T Howlyer, M G Lisher, W Anderson, P Richter, Mrs Beckor, P Smith, R Jones, Mrs Inkman, Fred Dougall, Miss Clarke, Jno Kirkup, F C Gamble, Geo Harrison, M Horan, J F Geiser, J E Olsen, Mrs Howlileger, Jno Root, W C Crandall, Sam Becker, G W Bigger, T Nicholson, F M York, E H King, Thos Bestor, Mrs Brown, Miss Crook, N S Hoffar, Mr Harrison, E H Worke, Jno Groll, D McCardy, Alice Reed, Wm Jacobson, J C Reinhart, D Becker, Jno Nicholson, G Wilkenson, Miss G Wilkenson.

Per Steamer OLYMPIAN, from Puget Sound.—W Murray, Mrs Langley, J B Nicoll, J E Gardner and wife, Miss Turner, Miss Burgess, C Ericksen, Mrs Terry, C N Gowan, J N Dennison, R Conden and wife, Mrs Dr Saunders, F Amos, Miss J Gilpin, C McNiffe, D W Corbin, Miss K Calvert, R Moran, B F Rhodes, D E Durin, T Davis, E L Terry, H McLardy, H A Bowen, A Johnson, F W Springsteen, J W Shirley, L Monroe, Miss Tuttle, W Sherrick, P Van Tassel, J King, J J Evans, J R McChesty J Murphy, J R Mitchell, T Kasher, J Pullock, H B Merritt and wife, Mrs J Jones and Son.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Steamer ISLANDER, from Vancouver.—F Fell, Jno Weiler, Blanchard & Co, Geo Powell, Lenz & Leiser, M W Waitt, E B Marvin, R McD & Co, H Short, Angus & G, E G Prior, H Bornstein.

Per Steamer OLYMPIAN, from Puget Sound.—Vaio and Brooks, S Leiser, A R Johnson, E S Scoullar & Co, H Harvey, C G Major, Turner, Beeton and Co, John Partridge, A Bullock, Nanaimo E P Society, J Parker, Cruikshank.

Per Str CITY OF PUEBLO, from San Francisco—A Lawrence, Alb Iron Works, A J Rowbotham and Co, Angus and G, Brown Bros, Brackman and Ker, Braden and Stanford, Carne and M, D H Ross and Co, Edgar Fawcett, Eli Harrison, E G Prior and Co, E B Marvin and Co, Fell and Co, Geo Williscroft, Henry Saunders, H A Lilly, Jno Weiler, J P Mathews, J & A Clearihue, J H Todd and Son, J C Devlin, Jno Mortimer, Jacob Sehl, Kwong Wo and Co, Lun Chong, Marvin and Tilton, Mrs H O Tiedeman, J L Levy, N Portman, P McQuade and Son, R Baker and Son, R G Cunningham, S Leiser, S J Pitts, S W Hartman, Swayne and Hoyt, Spratt and Gray, See Wo Lung, Thos Earle, Thos Shotbolt, T N Hibben and Co, Welch Rithet and Co, Wells Fargo and Co.

Baseball Bats, Balls, Masks, Score Books' Caps, Gloves, Shoe Plates, Body Protectors, Belts, imported direct from Spalding, by T. N. HIBBEN & Co.

The Human Heart.

The weight of the human heart varies from eight to twelve ounces. It beats 100,000 times a day. On certain occasions, however, as when the young man is waiting to learn whether the answer is to be "yes" or "no," or when examining the stationery and notions at Daley's and is told the fair prices at which they sell, the heart beats at the rate of 1,000,000 times a day. Note the address, 111 Government street. *

A large supply of Baseball Goods just received direct from Spalding, by T. N. HIBBEN & Co.

What is the Carbolic Smoke Ball?

It is a combination of soluble ingredients which are put up in a little ball about an inch in diameter. These ingredients are of a very healing character, and are so light that they readily dissolve in the atmosphere. The company offers any one a test free of charge at their office over the White House. For sale by all druggists. *

Murdered.

Tascott is, it appears, still at large, and murder is fast becoming a fine art. Mr. Blaine, in accounting for the popularity, among the Irish, of a certain illiterate demagogue, said, it was because of his habit of murdering the Queen's English. The wonderful beauty of our language is seen at its best in the works of Shakespeare, Scott, Dickens, Thackeray, etc., complete sets of which are sold by WILLCUTT, California Hotel, on payments of 25 cents per week. A post card will bring agent with samples. *

PATON'S Alloa yarn, at the WESTSIDE. *

Fresh Oysters at the New England Bakery, Restaurant, Confectionery and Oyster Saloon, Nos. 116 and 118 Government street. Delivered to all parts of the city. Telephone No. 161. tf

ARRANGEMENTS have been completed whereby the notes of the Canadian Bank of Commerce will be redeemed at *par* at any of the offices of the Bank of British Columbia in the province. *

Several boys and girls are wanted to hang sheets in the varnish room of THE COLONIST office.

Barnes' House.

Bastion Square, Victoria, B. C. New and elegant. Situated near the steamboat landings, with unsurpassed view of hills, bay and distant mountains. All rooms are light and sunny. Perfect ventilation.

THE Remington Typewriter still leads. With one of the above superior machines, Mr. Frank McGurrin, in New York, last January, wrote 151 words in one minute, without an error, thus breaking all previous records of correct work, by 30 words per minute, and placing the Remington's speed still further beyond the reach of competition. M. W. Waitt & Co., Agents for B. C.

New Goods at Albion House.

We have just received and offer for sale: Ladies' beaded and lace visites, dolmans and mantles, in all the newest materials; novelties in parasols and sunshades, boys' and girls' straw hats, new prints, embroideries, braid and beaded trimmings in sets, scrim and lace curtains, etc. An inspection invited. BROWN & WHITE, 61 Government street. *1mo

Try to Benefit Others.

"I had a very bad pain in my side, of which one bottle of Hagyard's Yellow Oil made a complete cure. I hope that this may be of some benefit to those who read it." A. R. T. Walker, 44½ High street, City. Hagyard's Yellow Oil is a specific for all inflammatory pain. w-f-s

THE C. P. N. Co. are now issuing return tickets to New Westminster *via* Vancouver, good for ten days, for $6.00. *tf

THE cheapest and best place to buy Furniture for Christmas presents is at J. Sehl's, where you can buy a 7 piece solid walnut parlor suite for $45.00 and upwards. *

JUST ARRIVED—direct from Vienna—a choice assortment of indestructible Austrian bent wood chairs; also piano and library lamps, at J. SEHL'S, 68 Government street. *tf

A Feeble Failure.

Many persons become feeble and fail in health from disease of the blood, liver, kidneys and stomach when prompt use of Burdock Blood Bitters, the grand purifying and regulating tonic, would quickly regulate every bodily function and restore to perfect health. w-f-s

An apprentice for the millinery business wanted at the Lansdowne House, Yates Street. Apply immediately. *

Ladies should Remember

That they can have their visiting cards printed from copper-plate, at THE COLONIST office. *

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of Cutting Teeth? If so send at once and get a bottle of "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for Children Teething. Its value is incalculable. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers; there is no mistake about it. It cures Dysentery and Diarrhœa, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, cures Wind Colic, softens the Gums, reduces Inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for children teething is pleasant to the taste and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States, and is for sale by all druggists throughout the world. Price twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP," and take no other kind. my31-eod-dw

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

To-Morrow Night.

A public meeting will be held in The Victoria Theatre to-morrow evening, to consider the advisability of erecting a suitable building in this city for the use of the Y. M. C. A. Mr. Noel H. Jacks, travelling secretary, will deliver an address, and a good musical programme will also be provided.

High Assays.

Very high assays have been had from samples of ores from Macellewaet, Golden, McMurdo, and Clinton to Dr. Brecmeyer. In the first three cases, the ores showed principally lead and silver, as well as a very high grade copper, containing a large per centage of silver and gold. From Clinton, the samples of free milling ore assay from $20 to $90 in gold to the ton.

Beacon Hill Park.

The miniature lake in Beacon Hill Park has been enclosed in a neat wire fence, which will serve not only to keep the banks from being trampled down and destroyed, but will protect the lake from invasion by dogs. All the fish in the lake are doing well, although the periodical visits of a kingfisher are a great source of annoyance to Ald. Styles.

Bumper Houses.

McFadden's Double Uncle Tom's Cabin Company played to exceptionally good business yesterday. At both matinee and evening performances the house was crowded, and the company reaped a harvest. They deserved their success. The people appreciate a good show, and McFadden's is the best "Uncle Tom" Company that has ever visited Victoria.

To Examine Sewer Pipes.

Mayor Moran and Councillor Durie, of Seattle, came over by the Olympian yesterday. The Seattle *Times* says: "The object of their visit to Victoria is for the purpose of investigating the sewerage pipe system in use there with a view to its adoption in Seattle. The system is spoken of very enthusiastically by the mayor of Victoria, and it is understood that it is both durable and cheap."

A Child's Funeral.

The funeral of Gladys Mary, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart, took place from the parents' residence yesterday afternoon. The little casket was pure white, and was covered with a profusion of floral offerings, many of tasteful design. A floral pillow, with the name "Gladys" worked in the centre, composed of snow-white blossoms was among the number. The following children acted in the capacity of pall-bearers: A. G. Frankly n, Ernest Hayward, A. W. Wilson and W. J. Mackay. The Rt. Rev. Bishop Cridge officiated.

The Diamond Drill at Work.

Messrs. W. H. Ladner, C. E. Semlin, James Tolmie, George Cowan, and Col. Baker, M.P.P.'s, comprising the select committee of the Provincial Legislature appointed to investigate the artesian well boring experiments, paid a visit to Oyster Bay yesterday in quest of information. The diamond drill on the Indian Reserve near there, which was placed in position a few months ago, is now down to about 1,100 feet and is making good headway. It is being used in prospecting for coal. What the committee thought about it, will be made known in their report to the House.

Kootenay Lake Mines.

Mr. Sproat, gold commissioner for West Kootenay, writing to the minister of mines, under date March 20th, says:—An experienced American miner, to whose opinion I attach weight, writes to me 12th March, 1889, from Kootenai Station, as follows:

"The 'Golden King' quartz mill has arrived and is being hauled to Kootenay River by Richard Fry.

"All mineral claims that have been worked in the Kootenay country this winter have surprised the miners in richness and quantity—in fact everything has proved better than expected.

"Without a doubt we are going to have a good mining country."

Taken in Tow by a Whale.

The fishing schooner C. H. White returned to Port Townsend on Friday night from a fishing cruise in the North Pacific. The master, Capt. Chris. Johansen, relates the following remarkable adventure which befell the schooner, the truth of which is vouched for by every member of the crew: The schooner was anchored on Flattery banks with nearly all the crew out in dories catching halibut, when a school of finbacked whales approached the schooner, and in their gambols, one of the animals became entangled in the vessel's cable. The huge mammal started off, towing the schooner at a rapid rate, the captain and crew being the only persons on board being powerless to prevent it. The whale towed the vessel westward, and gradually circled round, finally bringing the schooner to within a few miles of where it started, after traversing fully a distance of sixty miles. The windlass was rigged and the cable drawn close, when it was seen that the whale measured over eighty feet. With one turn the cable became disentangled and the monster then disappeared beneath the waves. The captain and cook hoisted sail and returned for the boats, where the crew were found some twenty hours later.

Mr. B. W. Pearse in England.

Our energetic and enthusiastic fellow-citizen, Mr. B. W. Pearse, is staying at Great Yarmouth, Norfolk, England, with Mrs. Pearse and child. He writes to a friend in this city on the 3rd inst. that the weather has been raw and damp, and yearningly exclaims, "Oh! for a sniff of Vancouver Island air and a peep at Mount Baker!" Mr. Pearse, as we learn from the Yarmouth *Gazette*, is rousing the flagging energies of the Imperial Federationists in Great Britain. He has written well-considered articles for the press, has formed an I. F. League at Great Yarmouth, and is pushing the cause at Lowes and Plymouth. He has been asked to open the debate at the Dialectical Society in London, and to address a meeting at Hammersmith in April. In one of his newspaper articles on federation, Mr. Pearse concludes with this quotation from a speech of Lord Roseberry to the Leeds chamber of commerce: "Ever since I traversed those great regions which own the sway of the British Crown, outside these islands, I have felt that it (imperial federation) was a cause which merited all the enthusiasm and energy that man can give it. It is a cause for which any man might be content to live; it is a cause for which any man might be content to die."

Assaulting an Officer.

Joseph La Pointe, a lance corporal of "C" Battery, was brought before the police magistrate yesterday on a serious charge, viz., assaulting a police officer in the execution of his duty. Yesterday morning, about 3:30 o'clock, La Pointe and a companion were creating a disturbance on Broad street, near Johnson. Officer Levin and Night Watchman Campbell warned the battery men to desist and go quietly away. The men, however, became vilely abusive, and continued their disturbance, when the officers attempted to take them into custody. The men resisted arrest and a struggle took place. Officer Levin grappled with La Pointe, while Mr. Campbell was engaged with the other battery man. In the struggle La Pointe severely bit one of Mr. Levin's fingers, and grabbing him by the cheek and lip tore out part of his moustache. The officer, however, held on to his prisoner, and finally, despite his struggles, placed the irons on him. The constable then blew his whistle for assistance. In response to the call, Night Watchman Hooson and Officer Mitten arrived, but before they could render any help the man who was struggling with Mr. Campbell managed to break away, and he lost no time in putting quite a distance between himself and the officers, leaving his companion in the hands of the police. La Pointe will be tried to-morrow morning and doubtless severely punished. Officer Levin bears the marks of the encounter on his face, and his finger is badly bitten.

An Alaska Mining Company.

"The Alaska Mining and Exploration Co." has been incorporated in London, England, with a capital stock of £200,000, in shares of £1 each. Seventy-five thousand of these were taken by the directors and their friends at par, and the list was to have been opened on Thursday, 21st February, closing on the following Saturday.

The prospectus of the company, which appears in the London *Financial News*, states that the company is for the purpose of acquiring mines and other properties in Alaska. A two-thirds share in the Mexican mine, Douglas Island, the consideration being £100,000 cash and £15,000 in paid-up shares. This mine adjoins the celebrated Paris or Treadwell mine, from which it is stated in the prospectus that the owners are receiving £100,000 net profit per annum. It is estimated that £75,000 will be required for machinery, £50,000 of which the new company will have to find. Mr. Hammond, the engineer, estimated that there would be a net profit of $8 per ton, and that 100,000 tons per annum could be treated. It is thought that the ore in sight is of a net value of $375,000, and that within three years of starting the stamps, the whole of the purchase money and capital would be returned in dividends.

Work in this mine will commence this spring, and though it will benefit Alaska particularly, the coast cities, including Victoria, must receive a considerable benefit from the undertaking.

The B. C. Canning Co.

This company was floated on the London market, the list being opened on March 2nd. The capital is £100,000 in shares of £1 each, half being preference shares, the remainder ordinary shares. Thirty thousand preference and 35,000 ordinary shares were placed on the market and rapidly taken up. From the prospectus it is learned that the local committee in Victoria are Messrs. M. T. Johnston, Henry Saunders and Thomas Shotbolt, former agents and proprietors for the four canneries sold. After giving a description of the four properties and brands, the prospectus states that the capacity of the four is about 60,000 cases, but assuming that it is 40,000, this quantity would ensure a satisfactory return on the proposed capital. Based upon the prices of the past two years would give 15 per cent on ordinary shares after paying the eight per cent. on preference stock. The estimated packs of two of the canneries alone at 10,000 cases each would provide for the preferential dividend and pay 10 per cent. on the ordinary shares. It is suggested that other sources of profit might be opened up by utilizing the refuse. The amount of fish offal necessarily produced in canning salmon is considerable, and this might be converted into oil and fish guano. The former has a commercial value of £15 per ton, and the latter £6 to £7 per ton. The extensive fisheries of British Columbia afford an ample field for profitable employment of capital in such an industry. The total amount payable for the acquisition of the four canneries with their plant, etc., is £21,000, the stock-in-trade to be taken at a valuation.

Launched.

The new steamer for the Alert Bay Canning Co., which has been built on the ways at Clarke & Turpel's shipyard, and a description of which appeared not long ago in THE COLONIST, was launched yesterday morning, and now lies at Spratt's wharf, where her machinery, manufactured at the Albion Iron Works, is to be put in. The new boat is christened the "Alert," and will be used entirely for the work of the cannery.

Y. M. C. A.

The usual Gospel service will be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock. Address by the Rev. J. N. Dennison, of Port Townsend. On Monday evening there will be a mass meeting in the Theatre, in the interests of the Association. There will be addresses by city pastors, a six months' report of the work, and an address on association work in the Pacific Northwest by Mr. N. H. Jacks, travelling secretary of the association of the Pacific Northwest. The public are invited to this service.

Royal Jubilee Hospital.

A deputation of the building committee, consisting of Mr. Robert Ward and Mr. W. Chudley, yesterday afternoon waited upon His Honor, the Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. Nelson, and tendered the latter an invitation to lay the corner stone of the Royal Provincial Jubilee Hospital. The invitation was graciously accepted, and the ceremony will take place on Easter Monday. It is understood that the committee of arrangements will make the occasion an imposing event.

Phœnix Like.

Mr. S. E. King's bakery, at the corner of Albert and Chambers streets, which was gutted and almost completely destroyed by fire on Monday morning, has risen, Phœnix like, from the ashes, and in a few days the ovens will be again at work. Lumber for the re-building of the bakery was on the ground within twenty hours after the fire occurred, and work was commenced the next morning. The creditable speed shown was due to the insurance company, of which Messrs. Robert Ward & Co. are the agents.

Counterfeiters.

At Westminster, on Friday, a man was charged, before Capt. Pittendrigh, with having passed two counterfeit bills, purporting to have been issued by the National Bank at Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan. As the evidence was not complete, he was remanded. It appears that a regular manufactory existed at Vancouver, where a number of the notes had been passed; the place, fortunately, was discovered and the tools secured by the police. The notes were made by means of a photographic machine, and had the rascals been possessed of the proper materials and, perhaps, a knowledge of the way to manipulate the negatives, they might have plundered the public to a considerable extent. As it was, after the picture was taken they had no means of fixing positives, and they turned black on exposure to the light. There will be more evidence, it is thought, against the prisoner when he appears again at the police court.—*Guardian.*

Fatal Accident on the E. & N. Railway.

Yesterday afternoon the first accident of any importance, and which resulted in the loss of a human life, occurred on the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway. About 2:30 o'clock a southbound freight train, principally laden with coal, was approaching the Chemainus River bridge, and when near Campbell's Crossing the engineer noticed something lying on the track. He at once whistled "down brakes," but before the heavy freight could be brought to a standstill, the locomotive had passed over the obstruction. On examination it was found that the object was an unfortunate Indian woman, who, presumably intoxicated, had wandered on to the track and lain down on the rails, being too much overcome with liquor to be aware of the dangerous place she had selected to sleep. She never moved when the shrill blast of the whistle sounded, and her death, which was instantaneous, was undoubtedly painless. The train hands removed the remains from the rails and covered them with a large shawl. The authorities at Chemainus were at once notified of the accident and the remains were taken in charge by the coroner. An inquest will be held on Tuesday, when it is hoped evidence will be produced which will lead to the arrest and conviction of the party who supplied the unfortunate woman with the liquor, and which caused her shocking death.

German Singing Birds.

In Germany and other countries of Europe there are many singing birds, beautiful in plumage and musical in song, that are not native to America. Among these are the nightingale, song thrush, bullfinch, skylark and others. A year ago a movement was made by citizens of Portland to import a thousand of these birds into Oregon, with the expectation that they would rapidly increase in numbers and soon become as plentiful as the native birds. They will arrive in May, and will be turned loose in and near the city. The mocking bird, bob-o-link and red bird are also to be taken to Oregon from the southern states. The mild climate of Oregon will no doubt be appreciated by what *The West Shore Magazine* calls "Our Feathered Immigrants," which is the title of a large art supplement accompanying the magazine for March. This is an elegant piece of artistic printing in colors, and shows these birds, sixteen distinct kinds, in their natural colors. Every lover of birds will be charmed with this beautiful engraving. The number also contains a description of them, as well as engravings and descriptions of North Yakima, Wash., and Rainier and St. Helens, Oregon, and much other interesting and valuable information about the Pacific Northwest. Price $2.50 a year, 25 cents a copy. Address L. Samuel, publisher, Portland, Oregon.

LITTLE LOCALS.

Nanaimo is to be illustrated in the *West Shore*.

The young men's meeting last night in Association Hall was conducted by Mr. R. J. Plummer.

St. Joseph's Social and Literary Society will present the beautiful Irish drama, "Rose of Ettrick Vale," at an early date.

The tender of Messrs. Gilmore & McCandless, for the new police uniforms, has been accepted.

Rev. J. H. Dennison of Port Townsend will address the young mens' meeting this afternoon in Association Hall.

Edward Corning and W. Stanley, summoned on charges of vagrancy, did not appear in the police court yesterday, and warrants were issued for their arrest.

P. Heckey, a native of New Brunswick, aged 31, died at the Nanaimo Hospital on Friday of heart disease. He leaves a wife and two children in New Brunswick.

Spiritual Lecture at Harmony Hall, View street, Sunday March 24th, 7:30 p.m. Lecture and tests. Admission free, collection taken.

Daniel Galbraith, of Chemainus, while working on a tramway for the Victoria Lumber and Manufacturing Co., slipped and was thrown a distance of fifteen feet, breaking his arm and sustaining other injuries.

Nearly a dozen fine hens were stolen from Mr. Simeon Duck, M. P. P., last evening while the family were at dinner. The thieves, supposed to be Chinamen, entered the fowl yard and walked off with the chickens without being heard.

A St. Andrew's Young People's Association has been formed at Vancouver, with the following officers:—President, Rev. E. D. McLaren; 1st vice-President, John Wright; 2nd vice-President, Miss Allan; recording secretary, H. L. Wright, corresponding secretary, D. J. King; treasurer, D. McPherson; also an executive committee composed of Mrs. Twiford, Misses McLeod and Brown, and Messrs. McEdwards and J. McPherson. Meetings will be held weekly on Friday evenings.

CHURCH NOTICES.

Rev. D. Gamble will preach in the first Presbyterian Church this evening.

Baptist Church, Herald Street, Rev. M. L. Rugg, Pastor—Usual preaching services on Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School at close of morning sermon. In the evening the pastor will commence a series of sermons on "Heart Life." Subject of first sermon, "Heart Faith." All are invited to these services.

MARINE.

The barque Malay has loaded 280,000 feet of lumber at the Royal City Planing Mills.

Schooner Triumph leaves for San Francisco this morning, and from there will proceed to the Sandwich Islands.

Steamship City of Pueblo, Capt. Debney, arrived from San Francisco at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, bringing 25 passengers for this port, and 916 tons of freight, of which 107 tons were for Victoria; 11 tons for Vancouver, and the balance for Puget sound ports.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

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SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

FOOTBALL.

Although the weather was very unpropitious a great many people turned out to witness the return match yesterday afternoon between the Victoria team and a picked team, which resulted in a win for the former by two goals and five tries to *nil*. The Victoria team played much better than usual, their passing showing improvement, and this, together with the dribbling of their forwards went a long way towards their victory. The game was not as evenly contested as last Saturday. As several matches are now on the tapis, there will be but few practices again this season.

The date for the return match Island *vs.* Mainland has not yet been definitely settled. The Island are still awaiting a reply from the Mainland.

LACROSSE.

An enthusiastic meeting of the Victoria lacrosse club was held last evening in the rooms of Messrs. Hall & Lowe. Mr. Ballatyne, president of the club, occupied the chair, and R. Clarke acted as secretary in the absence of Mr. Morrow. Considerable business of importance was transacted regarding the coming celebration, and a motion, authorizing members of the club who are on the general committee to look after the interests of the club, was passed. New uniforms will be ordered in a few days, and the lacrosse boys will endeavor to retain their laurels against all-comers. The club intend to invite the Vancouver lacrosse club down on the 25th, and a good match may looked for, as new blood will be brought out by both teams.

THE WHEEL.

A discouraging rain prevented the attendance of cyclists at Beacon Hill park yesterday afternoon from being equal to anticipation. Those who were present, however, were ready for work; and after a discussion of all matters of interest to the bicycling fraternity it was decided to procure copies of the C. W. A. rules, and also of the drill corps instruction, and meet again on Tuesday evening at the office of the Hamilton Powder Co., for the purpose of electing officers and completing the work of organization. The questions of club runs, fancy drills, Chinese lantern parades, and club uniforms, were discussed, and everyone appeared enthusiastic and ready to *work* in booming the club and the great sport of wheeling.

BASEBALL.

The following is the schedule of games to be played during the coming season by the Mayflower, Mapleleaf and James Bay Clubs of this city, for the amateur championship of Victoria.

SCHEDULE.

April 19—James Bay v. Mapleleaf.
" 27.—James Bay v. Mayflower.
May 4.—Mapleleaf v. Mayflower.
" 11.—James Bay v. Mapleleaf.
" 18.—James Bay v. Mayflower.
June 1.—Mapleleaf v. Mayflower.
" 15.—James Bay v. Mapleleaf.
" 29.—James Bay v. Mayflower.
July 13.—Mapleleaf v. Mayflower.
" 20.—James Bay v. Mapleleaf.
" 27.—James Bay v. Mayflower.
Aug. 10—Mapleleaf v. Mayflower.
" 17.—James Bay v. Mapleleaf.
" 24.—James Bay v. Mayflower.
Sept. 7.—Mapleleaf v. Mayflower.

HERE AND THERE.

The entries for the coming go-as-you-please contest have already commenced to come in. All the local walkers will start, as well as the couple of "dark horses" from a distance. Already fifteen entries are in.

T. N. Hibben & Co's. window contains the season's supplies for the James Bay Club. The new uniform is of black and white flannel, neat and tasty.

CAMERON-MICHAUD MATCH.

The "Strong Man" No Match for Cameron, who Wins the First Two Falls.

An audience of about 300 gathered at Philarmonic Hall last night to witness the wrestling match between Cameron, the champion of the west coast, and Michaud, the "strong man" of "C" battery.

At 9:10 o'clock the men faced each other on the canvass; Mr. Clem Austin, of Vancouver, having been selected as time keeper, and Mr. H. Smith, acting as Cameron's second, while Mr. P. Hanks performed a like service for Michaud. Mr. Austin announced that the match would be decided by the best two in three falls, catch-as-catch-can rules to govern. Time was called, and the men clinched at 9:17. Michaud forcing the struggle, and trying by sheer strength to down his opponent. His rush and weight was met by nice skill on the part of Cameron, and a lively scrimmage followed for one brief moment, when Cameron by a half-Nelson and crutch-hold, landed Michaud square on his back. At 9:26 the men again faced, both more wary; and some fine feinting followed. Michaud seemed aware of the skill of Cameron, while the latter was evidently cautious on account of the weight and strength of his opponent. Finally the men clinched; Cameron got a back-hold—a moment of suspense—the hands of Cameron slid down, and the deadly Nelson-hold did its work, and Michaud was thrown, striking both shoulders fair down, this constituting a flying fall—time, three minutes, and winning the watch for Cameron.

Loud cries of "No!" from the house followed, and it was offered to disallow this fall and proceed, provided cash was put up. Michaud's people would not put up, though, and the match was awarded to Cameron.

A fine exhibition of scientific wrestling between Smith and Cameron followed, and the audience left in thorough good humor—all except those who had bet on the wrong man.

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